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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HITOSHI ARAI, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/516,750

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For: BICYCLIC PYRIMIDINE  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Official Action dated October 10, 2006 (Paper No. 20060921) in the above-identified application, as follows.